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TO: EACH SUPERVISOR

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WORKERS COMPENSATION CARVE OUT AGREEMENT

This is to notify your Honorable Board that the Department and Los Angeles County Fire Fighters Local 1014, in coordination with the Chief Executive Office, and County Counsel have agreed to a Workers Compensation Carve Out. The purpose of this agreement is to streamline the workers compensation process by accelerating an injured employee's access to medical care, rehabilitation and, as a result, return the employee back to work in an expedited manner.

The primary objectives of this agreement are to improve efficiencies and reduce costs associated with workplace injuries. Additionally, during the 2012-2013 fiscal year, the Department will be implementing risk management initiatives to further prevent and reduce injuries. Such initiatives will include employee training and the implementation of policies that specifically address injury prevention and reduction.

Please be advised that a Board letter seeking your approval of the Workers Compensation Carve Out Agreement is forthcoming.

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